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Subject: Nourishing NC Grant info

On behalf of the Nourishing North Carolina program, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina and the NC Recreation & Park Association, I am pleased to notify you that your grant for the Nourishing NC garden was approved for funding at \$3000.00

The check for this garden will be processed and sent to your fiscal agent later this week.

In the near future, your garden manager will be receiving information from me about reporting harvests and success stories.

You will also be receiving a sign to be displayed in the garden. The sign is 44" x 30". You will receive an additional \$100 funding to purchase materials for installing the sign. Any questions about this should be directed to me.

There are lots of resources available to help you move forward with the establishment or enhancement of the garden. One of the best resources locally is your county extension office and your master gardeners. Consulting them about soil conditions and preparation is strongly recommended so that your garden gets off to a good start.

A press release will be sent to you in May about your Nourishing North Carolina grant award. Please fill in the blanks with the appropriate information and be ready to share it immediately with all media outlets (newspapers, television, radio, etc.) in your community.

If you have any questions about this grant, please contact me.

We look forward to hearing of your successes and the benefits to your community!

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